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PART IV.

Official Papers.

Abstract of Season or Intermediate Reports for the Week ending 23rd December 1882.

Bangalore District.—Crops in good condition. The harvesting of ragi has been completed. Kartika paddy continues to be harvested. Prospects of season favorable. Public health good, but fever in the Kankanhalli, Magadi and Closepet Taluks. Murrain prevails to a slight extent in the Taluks of Anekal and Closepet. Drinking water and pasturage ample. Prices : second sort rice 11¼ seers, ragi 35 seers, and horse-gram 36½ seers per rupee.

Kolar District.—Standing crops in good condition. Harvesting of ragi and Kartika paddy continued. Vaisakha paddy partially cultivated. Public health good. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder plentiful. Prices : rice 12½ to 14 seers and ragi 32 to 38 seers per rupee.

Tumkur District.—Standing crops in good condition. Paddy, Bengal-gram, javari and wheat were sown. Ragi, tuvar, oil-seeds, navane, arecanut and cocoanut were harvested. Paddy and Bengal-gram principally have yet to be sown. Prospects of season fair. Public health good. Cattle are generally in a healthy condition. Pasturage and drinking water sufficient. Prices : second sort rice 13 to 14 seers, ragi 40 to 48 seers and horse-gram 40 to 46 seers per rupee.

Hassan District.—Standing crops in good condition generally. Bengal-gram, coriander, paddy and sugar-cane were sown. Red-ragi, horse-gram, castor, harka, &c., were harvested. Prospects of season good. Public health good, but fever prevalent in parts of the Hassan and Arsikere Taluks, and small-pox in one hobli of the Hassan Taluk. Murrain also prevalent to a slight extent. Drinking water and pasturage sufficient. Prices : second sort rice 11 to 16 seers, ragi 28 to 40 seers and horse-gram 32 to 50 seers per rupee.

Shimoga District.—Standing crops in good condition. Paddy, ragi, jola, green gram, navane, arecanut and harala were harvested. Bengal-gram remains to be sown in some places. Prospects of season favorable. Public health good. Murrain prevalent among cattle in parts. Prices : rice 14 to 18 seers, ragi 23 to 35 seers and jola 36 to 48 seers per rupee.

Kadur District.—Crops in good condition. Bengal-gram, garlic and sugar-cane were sown. Paddy, ragi, horse-gram, sugar-cane, &c., were harvested. Prospects of season favorable. Public health generally good, but small-pox prevalent in parts of the Chikmagalur Taluk. Cattle are in a healthy condition. Water supply and pasturage plentiful. Prices : rice 15 to 18 seers and ragi 32 to 40 seers per rupee.

Chitaldroog District.—Crops in good condition. Navane, ragi, castor, chillies, paddy, kurasani, wheat, haraka, sajje and horse-gram were harvested. White javari, wheat, paddy, Bengal-gram and cummin seed were sown. Prospects of season favorable. Public health good. A few cases of small-pox occurred in the Town of Chitaldroog. Cattle suffer from murrain in parts of the Chitaldroog and Hiriyur Taluks. Drinking water and pasturage sufficient. Prices : rice 12 to 13 seers, ragi 40 to 60 seers and javari 34 to 64 seers per rupee.

By Order,
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Secretary.

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